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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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| Inventor:   | A. Marschall et al.  | ) | Group Art Unit: | 2614    |
| Serial No.: | 10/542,444   | ) | Examiner:       | Q. Tran |
| Filed:      | April 11, 2006   | ) | Conf. No.:      | 2763    |
| Title       | <b>METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR CONTROLLING AND/OR MONITORING A TERMINAL CONNECTED TO A COMMUNICATION SYSTEM</b> |   |                 |         |

**Commissioner For Patents**

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.104, Applicants respectfully submit a statement commenting on the Examiner's reasons for allowance in the Office communications mailed April 21, 2008. Applicants respectfully disagree with the Examiner's reason for allowance to the extent they are inconsistent with applicable case law, statutes and regulations. Furthermore, Applicants do not admit to any characterization or limitation of the claims or to any characterization of a reference by the Examiner, particularly any that are inconsistent with the language of the claims considered in their entirety and including all their constituent limitations.

Respectfully submitted,

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